

SCORE OF PEOPLE LOST IN FLOOD

Damage in Pittsburgh and Suburbs Amounts to Over Fifteen Million Dollars.

BUSINESS HAS BEEN RESUMED

Filtration Plant, Which Was Thought to Be Destroyed, Not Damaged.

PITTSBURGH, PA., March 16.—After three days of business stagnation, caused by a remarkably rapid rise in the Monongahela, Allegheny and Ohio Rivers, which inundated over ten square miles of this city, conditions have about assumed their normal trend, and by Monday at least a complete resumption will be possible.

The water is receding even more quickly than it rose. With the exception of lowlands below the city the water has subsided to its natural course. Since afternoon the water has fallen three feet, and by to-morrow a stage of a little over ten feet is calculated.

Several mills and manufacturing establishments began operations to-night, and an endeavor will be made to make up for the time lost. Within two or three days it is thought all the mills will have resumed.

\$15,000,000 Damage.

The loss in the Pittsburgh district is estimated at \$15,000,000. Reports from up-river points increase the damage done by the flood in Western Pennsylvania at least \$5,000,000 more. The exact number of fatalities caused by the high-water has not yet been ascertained. A score of persons are known to have met death in the flood, but to-day additional reports of many deaths were received by the coroner from surrounding towns.

The work of relief in Pittsburgh, Allegheny and McKeesport is being carried on in excellent shape. The Council of McKeesport appropriated \$2,500 to take care of the flood victims of that city, and this amount was greatly increased by private subscribers. In Pittsburgh and Allegheny the charities departments are caring for the sufferers.

Streets Are Again Lighted.

Electric light plants were repaired to-day, and after two days of darkness street lamps were lighted to-night.

The street car service is almost in full operation, with the assurance that a complete resumption will be possible by Monday. The filtration plant, Pittsburgh's new water works now under construction at Ashtabula, a suburb, valued at several millions of dollars, is now said to have escaped damage. It was believed the plant had been seriously crippled.

River interests claim that their losses are not heavy, although a careful accounting will be necessary to accurately judge.

Coal shipments will be made to-morrow, when several big tows of coal

TYLER'S

FIRST AND BROAD STS.

Spring Opening in our Boy's Department

All who are interested in Boys' Clothes should see our assortment for spring, '07. We cannot do them justice on paper. They must be seen to be fully appreciated, and

We Invite All to Come

in to-morrow and look them over.

Boys' Knickerbocker Suits. In all the new spring fabrics. We have them in plain and double-breasted, with and without belts; also single and double-breasted of pinstriped, Norfolk coats. Sizes from 5 years up to 11.

Prices, \$3 up to \$10

Extra Size Knee Pants Suits

To make our boys' stock more complete we had made special Boys' Knee Pants Suits, (size 18) eighteen years. Bring in that overgrown boy; we can now fit him in knee pants. We show them in very tasty patterns.

Prices, \$6 to \$8

Fat Boys' Suits

can be had here, made to fit the little fatty correctly.

Prices, \$5 up to \$10



STOCKS, BONDS AND BANKING

Richmond's Still Somewhat Skeptical, But Slowly Getting Back to Normal Conditions.

BOOKS ALL IN GOOD SHAPE

Customs Officials in Washington Predict Record-Breaking Fiscal Year.

Richmond optimists are much better pleased with the condition of the stock market, although some of the traders are yet very nervous and are somewhat fearful that the advances recorded Friday and yesterday are not altogether substantial enough to stand. They seem to fear another slump, saying the variations yesterday were too violent.

The New York stock market opened for the usual Saturday two hours session very strong, and though a little nervous and rather unsteady for a while soon began to pull up along all the lines. The advance was gradual until after the appearance of the weekly bank statement, which was not at all pleasing. Then the advance was sharp. The sales were very large for a short day, the total of stocks being 1,049,700 shares and bonds \$1,866,000.

It is true that a number of Richmond men who sometimes deal in stocks on a margin lost money by the slump, but on the whole this city is far ahead on the downfall of securities last week. It is said that when the big slump came on Thursday last, and when the better class of securities had reached their very lowest point, many big wads of Richmond money were thrown into the hopper and men who are not in the habit of dealing in the stock market invested quite heavily.

They did not buy on margin, but purely as an investment, paying down good money, taking the stocks in and looking them up for future reference. Good blocks of Coal, iron and steel, and about part. "Yes," said one who is in a position to know, "Richmond, as a whole is ahead on the slump. I think. It is a cold day when Richmond gets left on anything that comes along."

The exciting events in the market for the past two weeks have had no effect on the Richmond banks. They are always conservative and have plenty of change in vault to keep legitimate business channels open and trade rushing. The bankers, of course, wait the market, and are as well as any people what is going on in a general way. The banks report money fairly easy and business good.

The Farmers' and Merchants' Bank of Amelia, has decided to erect a bank-building, and a committee has been appointed to select a site for the same. Heretofore the bank has been doing business in rented quarters, but paid up capital of this institution is \$15,000.

R. G. Dunn and Company's local agency makes the following report on Southern banks for the week ending Friday:

New National Bank—The Farmers' National Bank of Cross Plains, Texas (\$500,000). Capital, \$250,000. E. C. Powell, president; Fred Lane, vice-president; S. P. Bond, cashier.

The Naples National Bank, Naples, Texas (\$855). Capital, \$30,000. J. A. Moore, president; C. H. Bollen and L. R. Hall, vice-presidents; E. R. Greer, cashier.

The Greenville National Exchange Bank, Greenville, Texas (\$551). Capital, \$200,000. W. A. Williams, president; F. J. Phillips and George S. Perkins, vice-presidents; H. W. Williams, cashier.

The People's Bank, of Oella, Ga. Converted into the First National Bank (\$500). Capital, \$50,000.

New State Bank, private banks and trust companies—The North Birmingham Trust and Savings Bank, of North Birmingham, Ala. Organizing.

The Bank of Mantee, of Mantee, Miss. Capital, \$25,000. Organizing.

The Farmers' Bank and Trust Company, of Ocala, Miss. Organizing. Capital, \$50,000.

The Bank of Ware Shoals, S. C. Capital, \$50,000. Benjamin D. Riegel, president.

To Owners of Bad Breath

Foul Odor of Indigestion, Smoking, Eating or Drinking, Stopped at Once With Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges.

Trials Package To Prove It Sent Free.

Bilious breathers, often eaters, indigestion victims, cabbage consumers, smokers, drinkers and those with gas on the stomach are in a class all by themselves, distinguished by a powerful bad breath.

They all breathe, and as they breathe they whiff out odor which makes those standing near them in the way in disgust. The pitiable part of it is that these victims do not realize what a sickening thing a bad, offensive breath is to others.

Charcoal is a wonderful absorber of gases and odors. It absorbs 100 times its own volume of gas. The charcoal in Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges will put a stop to your bad, offensive breath, and to your belchings, whatever the cause or source, cabbage consumers, quickly absorb all noxious, unnatural odors and gases.

If you suffer from indigestion and belch gas as a result, Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges will absorb all the gas and make you stop belching.

And then, in the morning you have such a bad bilious breath that you can almost smell it yourself, Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges will get rid of it for you quickly.

If you have been smoking or chewing, or have been eating onions or other odorous things, Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges will make your breath pure and sweet.

Charcoal is also the best laxative known. You take it while you eat and no harm will result. It is a wonderfully easy regulator.

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Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges are made from pure willow charcoal, and just a little honey is put in to make them palatable, but not too sweet.

They will work wonders in your stomach, and make you feel fine and fresh. Your blood and breath will be purified. You will feel clean inside.

We want to prove all this to you, so just send for a free sample to-day. Then, after you get it and use it, you will like them so well that you will go to your druggist and get a 25c box of Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges.

Send us your name and address to-day and we will at once send you a sample package free of charge.

P. A. Stuart & Co., 98 Stuart Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

JOHN B. MINOR IS OUT FOR SENATE

Six Men Are Now in the Race for Two Seats.

Former Alderman John B. Minor yesterday definitely announced his candidacy for a seat in the Senate from this city, thus making six aspirants for the two places to be filled.

The candidates up to date are Senator A. C. Harman, former Alderman Minor, former Delegate E. C. Folkes, former Alderman A. Beirne Blair, Messrs. Hill Montague and J. Stanley Reynolds. There may be others in the race before the primary comes, but even this number presents to the voters a pretty wide field from which to select.

SUICIDE COMPACT.

Two Girls, Ten Years Old, Agree to Kill Themselves.

ST. LOUIS, MO., March 16.—It was developed through testimony to-day at the coroner's inquest into the suicide last night of Liebling Slocum, aged ten years, that she had entered into a suicide pact with Gertrude Harper, also ten years old. Gertrude testified that yesterday she told her mother she was going to take her life, and was prevented. At that time Gertrude did not reveal the pact with Liebling.

The two girls were school children. Liebling had been reprovved for playing truant, and became melancholy. The two girls brooded over the matter, and agreed to die together. Yesterday Liebling swallowed carbolic acid, and died last night.

RICHMOND STUDENT IS OPERATED UPON

Mr. Augustus J. Hahleib, of this city, who is a student of theology at St. Mary's Seminary, Baltimore, was operated upon for appendicitis by Dr. F. H. Kirby, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Baltimore, the 7th instant.

The operation was highly successful, and Mr. Hahleib is already so far convalescent as to be able to sit up nearly all day and entertain callers. He expects to leave the hospital in about a week and to spend some days in Richmond before resuming his course of studies, which will probably be terminated within the next few months by his ordination to the Catholic priesthood.

SPECIAL MUSIC FOR PASSION SUNDAY

This being Passion Sunday, the musical program for the 11 o'clock service in the morning and the 4 o'clock service in the afternoon at the Church of the Holy Comforter will be the highest order. Excerpts from "The Crucifixion" by Sir John Stainer will be rendered at both services. The large chorus choir has been working diligently on this music for some time past.

The service in the evening will be fully choral. A solo will be sung by Miss V. Diacont.

SHAMROCK TEA.

Girls' Missionary Society of Grove-Avenue to Give One.

The Girls' Missionary Society of Grove Avenue Baptist Church will give a Shamrock silver tea at the residence of Mr. W. J. Ready, No. 1619 Park Avenue, to-morrow evening, from 8 to 11 o'clock. Attractive features of the evening will be songs by Mrs. John Murphy and readings by Miss Bala Bailey. All are invited to come.

\$1,000,000 Fire in London.

LONDON, March 16.—Three big warehouses in the Finsbury district, London's busiest industrial center, were gutted by fire this morning, causing damage to the amount of about \$1,000,000. Starting in Featherstone street, in the premises of Cox & Co., hat manufacturers, the flames fanned by a strong wind, jumped the street and destroyed the establishment of the Maxine Company, wood turners, and spread to the adjoining warehouse of Green & Co., shoe manufacturers.

Workman Falls Sixty Feet.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) ROANOKE, VA., March 16.—Mr. A. S. Guhn, who is employed on the Norfolk and Western foundry building, fell a distance of sixty feet, and was seriously injured. His back was sprained and his skull badly lacerated.

Temperance Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Frances Willard Temperance Union will be held in the Tabernacle Methodist Church, Lombardy street, on Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. New members are desired.

STYLISH SPRING \$11.50 SUIT TO ORDER, 11

GRAYS, BLUES, BROWNISH GRAYS, PLAIDS, STRIPES. This suit at \$11.50 is the special offering which starts off the spring season. Your choice of splendid Cheviots or Serges in excellent new patterns.

Spring Overcoats, \$15. to \$20.

The new Grays in Herringbones, Diagonals and Plaids—the most attractive and up-to-date materials for Spring Overcoats. The new style is unusually handsome.

Best Low-Price Tailoring You Ever Saw.

We have devoted considerable time to a study of how to improve the tailoring on low-price suits. We have succeeded so well that we believe we are giving you the best tailoring you ever saw at the price.

The best models and thoroughly effective tailoring are the result of our new system.

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Spring and Easter Millinery Opening

If you want to buy now or if you don't, we want you to visit our annual Spring and Easter Millinery opening on next

Thursday and Friday, March 21st and 22d.

A magnificent showing of exquisite millinery creations—exclusive novelties direct from Paris and New York. In fact, everything in all styles of Hats at one-third the prices of other stores.

36 Dozen Shirt-Waists Half Price.

Sensational, but true! A beautiful lot of pure Jap Silk Shirtwaists for women and misses. This lot of Waists was bought at one-half the cost of the raw material. It enables us to price them to you at less than the regular cost price to us.

Every Waist is new from the makers—every style as late as the season itself. The variety is broad—the sizes complete. They are on sale now, but they can't last. White, black, blue and brown.

Regular \$3.00 Quality Waists at \$1.98
Regular \$3.50 Quality Waists at \$2.25
Regular \$7.50 Quality Waists at \$4.98

16-Button Gloves at \$3.50.

Gloves that interest all women, because they are right in every respect.

16-button Kid Gloves, black and tan, dressed kid; a quality and length of gloves that can't be bought elsewhere at less than \$5.00. Our price, per pair, \$3.50.

Lisle-Thread Gloves, extra length, good quality, 50c and 75c.

12-button Black Undressed Kid Gloves, a fine quality; per pair, \$2.50.

12 and 16-button Black Silk Gloves, a heavy quality of silk, double tipped fingers, \$1.25.

Some Great Shoe Values.

Men's Vici Kid and Pat., worth \$2.50, now \$1.59.

Ladies' Sample Shoes, sizes 3 1-2 to 4 1-2; worth \$2.50, now \$1.30.

Children's Dongola Button Shoes, sizes 8 1-2 to 11; worth \$1.25, now 80c.

Misses' School Shoes, all solid leather; worth \$1.50, now \$1.15.

Men's Shoes, patent colt and gunmetal, all styles; worth \$3.00, now \$1.98.

Ladies' Freak Toe Vici Kid Blucher, large eyelets; worth \$2.50, now \$1.98.

Men's Patent Colt Blucher and Button Shoes, worth \$4.00, now \$2.98.

The Spring Dress Goods.

All-Wool Venetians, tan and blue only, 36 inches wide. Tan and blue Venetians are always in demand; a really fine value, 39c.

English Cashmere, all the best staple shades; you'll not find its equal at our price, per yard, 25c.

SPECIAL.—Black Chiffon Taffeta, guaranteed quality; bought before rise in price, and could not be bought elsewhere for less than \$1.25. Our price, \$1.00.

Como Sutting, 27 inches wide, checks and large plaids; also solids; good imitation of imported goods at \$1.50 per yard. Price, per yard, 15c.

New Cream Brillantes, plain and shadow checks; bright and lustrous patterns. You will choose it rapidly at the price of 50c.

New Spring Skirts.

Made in the latest kilted effects—a big variety of materials.

Black Voile Skirts, latest style kilts, handsomely trimmed, graceful hang, at \$0.50.

Ladies' Skirts, black and gray Panama and brilliantine, kilted effects, very latest, \$0.75.

Children's Skirts, black and blue, latest style kilts. Price, each, \$0.50.

New Virginia Concerns.

The State Corporation Commission has issued the following charters:

The Farmers' Bank of Butterworth, Va. (Incorporated). Butterworth, A. M. Organ, president; J. E. Smith, vice-president; C. H. Horton, vice-president; Butterworth, A. M. Richardson, D. A. Barker, Jno. R. Stephenson, R. Butterworth, S. A. G. Butterworth, Jr. Capital, \$50,000. Object: Banking business.

American Engineering and Supply Company (Incorporated). Richmond, J. H. Chappell, president; V. D. Baigiano, vice-president; M. M. Colvin, secretary and treasurer; C. L. Chappell, secretary and treasurer—all of Richmond. Capital, \$15,000.

Dayton Creamery and Ice Corporation. Dayton, J. M. Carey, president; C. A. Funkhouser, vice-president; J. W. Hott, E. C. Ralston, W. C. Long—all of Dayton. Capital, \$15,000.

Creighton Amusement Company (Incorporated). Norfolk. A. G. Neville, president; Norfolk, C. E. Jacob, vice-president; Wellsburg, W. Va.; F. A. Chapman, secretary and treasurer, Wellsburg, W. Va. Capital, \$50,000. Object: Amusements, etc.

Ackerson Creek Mining Company (Incorporated). Bristol, W. L. Umberger, president; W. E. Umberger, vice-president; S. V. Fulkerson, secretary and treasurer—all of Bristol. Capital, \$10,000. Object: Mining business.

Ideal Dry Goods Company (Incorporated). Cleveland. F. N. Hash, president and treasurer; J. P. Hash, vice-president and secretary; Geo. C. Butler—all of Cleveland. Capital, \$15,000. Object: Merchandise business.

Property Transfers.

Richmond.—Henry S. Wallerstein and wife to Leo E. Ullman, same as reported from Henrico Circuit Court November 1, 1902.

Henry S. Wallerstein and wife to E. W. Mosley and N. T. Mosley, 114 1-2 feet on Thirty-second Street, southwest corner of Clay Street, and 69 feet on west line of Thirty-second Street, 124 1-2 feet south of Clay Street, \$1,000. W. C. Thomasson and wife to Harriett A. Yennans, 30 feet on south line of Clay Street, 90 feet west of Monroe Street, \$5,915.

Jacob Lowit and wife to W. C. Thomasson, 21 1-2 feet on south line of Clay Street, 108 1-2 feet west of Fourth Street, \$5,000.

Rosa L. and J. C. Farish, Wilhelmina Gullmeier and Frank J. Hardin, H. L. Wilkinson and H. M. Wingfield, and wives to E. W. and N. T. Mosley, interest in 10 feet on west line of Thirty-second Street, 209 feet north of Marshall Street, \$5.

Henrico.—Geo. N. Griffin's executrix to Geo. Whitford Bright, 1 1-2 acres adjoining Brookland Park, N. W. Howe, trustee, unites herein to release a lien of a deed of trust, \$5.

Chas. T. Friend and wife to Geo. H. Auringer, 276 acres on Chickahominy River, about 4 1-2 miles east of Richmond, \$1,100.

Wallace C. Saunders and wife to Delaware Bowles, 23 1-2 acres on Broad Street Road, about five miles west of Richmond, \$1,100.

Doherty Murray to J. B. Blackburn, 33 1-2 acres on Broad Street Road, subject to vendor's lien for \$250, \$50.

Geo. B. Rudd to E. J. Purdie, 1 1-2 acres on Nine-Mile Road, about five miles east of Richmond, subject to a deed of trust for \$350, \$500.

SURPRISE PARTY FOR MISS DALEY

A delightful surprise party was given to Miss Hattie Daley, of Oakwood Avenue, on Wednesday evening last by her Sunday school scholars, Misses Ethel Foley, Ruby Logan, Bessie Southern, Blanche Haynes, Pearl Mills, Mary Blakely. A large number were present, and games and music were indulged in until a late hour, when refreshments were served.

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Bears the Signature of Dr. J. C. Hatcher.

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